

FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY ACADEMY TRAINING SYSTEM

May 2017 INSTRUCTOR BULLETIN

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****Curriculum****

We will provide you with access to IFSTA and Jones and Bartlett curriculum provided to us by the publishers of the text books that are used in the delivery of certification courses. In order to do that each instructor must have a Microsoft 365 account at [signup.live.com](https://signup.live.com/?uaid=cee5b810bf10470ba9b1d200f5d01bcc&lic=1) (this is free) at this web link: <https://signup.live.com/?uaid=cee5b810bf10470ba9b1d200f5d01bcc&lic=1> When you have the live account setup please email Monica Hurley your live.com email address at mhurley@dhs.in.gov to gain access. The curriculum includes lesson plans, student activities, PowerPoint, and chapter quizzes. You can download the IFSTA and Jones and Bartlett curriculum and save it to your computer. **The Pennwell/Fire Engineering curriculum is NOT part of this free download.**

****Fire Officer****

As of May 31, 2017 we will no longer send out Initial tests on the 4th edition Fire Officer I and Fire Officer II. We will be using the Fire Officer 5th Edition test only as of June 1st.

NOTE: Retest are the exception.

****Curriculum Update****

*** Conversion of curriculum is on hold for the following certifications ***

Fire Officer 3 the test is not ready yet. We will let all know as soon as it is, the tentative date is to have it ready by June 1, 2017.

Fire Officer 4 book updated to the IFSTA Chief Officer 3rd edition will **NOT** be effective until January 2018.

Jones & Bartlett Driver Operator is currently being Beta tested, so use the current curriculum until further notice.

****Instructor Update-Training and Testing ****

This is a recorded webinar that will update the instructors on changes occurring in the training and testing skills of Firefighter I, Firefighter II, Modular and Mandatory. We also discussed the elimination of combined testing for certification. This is a must attend for active instructors.

Registration URL: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1857339402872335619>
Webinar ID: 740-872-771

****Instructor Renewal****

Here's the link to access the application for re-certification: <http://in.gov/dhs/3101.htm>

****Webinar Online Based****

1. Retaining and Recruiting Volunteer Firefighters
 - a. April 5, 2017 1900-2000 EST
 - b. Registration URL:
<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6138166979463217153>
 - c. Webinar ID: 180-375-651

**** NFA 2017 Classes and Dates ****

Indiana Weekend will be July 07-09, 2017

Classes being offered

1. W0522 Executive Skills Series: Exercising Leadership Through Difficult Conversations
2. W0635 Best Practices in Community Risk Reduction
3. W0602 Shaping The Future

Register at: <http://indianafiretraining.com/get-training/district-05-classes.html>

****2017 Indiana Emergency Response Conference (IERC) ****

- Registration will open at the beginning of May 2017

For more conference information and to register, visit: www.indianaerc.com or find us on Facebook!



****Harrisburg Firefighters****

The Harrisburg Firefighters turned out for a dwelling with multiple calls, with multiple kids trapped, *and they were*. Listen to multiple challenges they dealt with upon arrival. See the below photos and videos.

Point: If there has ever been a question by anyone you know on the roles and responsibilities we each have at a fire-and our responsibility to be trained to be "on our game" - this would be it.

Listen to the radio traffic of that fire:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eRGr-rUMoSI&sns=em>

Video of the fire: <https://www.facebook.com/1687875341538673/videos/1811407765852096/>



****2017 Blue Card HZ Conference featuring Capt. Sully Sullenberger****

June 8th & 9th at the Arizona Grand Resort and Spa

This will be Capt. Sullenberger's first time publicly speaking to the fire service. For more information and to register for the conference, please follow this link:

<http://bshifter.com/conference.aspx>

****2016 Firefighter near Miss Annual Report****

<https://www.firefighterclosecalls.com/2016-firefighter-near-miss-annual-report/>

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**** IMPORTANT CERTIFICATION INFORMATION IS attached to this
Bulletin on the Skills Request Procedure and the Registration of a
Classes****